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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Adam L. COHEN et al.) Group Art Unit: 3731
Application No.: 10/658,261)) Examiner: Unknown
Filed: September 10, 2003))
For: A FORCEPS AND COLLECTION ASSEMBLY WITH ACCOMPANYING MECHANISMS AND RELATED METHODS OF USE))) Confirmation No. 4026)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper.